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### NEWPORT

Lawrence McBride and Miss Spaulding, who were married at Corvallis on the 7th, Rev. Mr. Gilchrist officiating, came to Newport to spend their honeymoon. Mr. McBride is the oldest son of C. C. McBride, long a resident of Lincoln county and the owner of a fine farm near Eddyville. Miss Spaulding is also a resident of Lincoln county and a prominent teacher in the schools of the county. She lived with her father and mother on a farm near Eddyville. The young couple will make their home on the farm, where their many friends will be welcome visitors. This is an ideal life for young people. Get married and build up a home of your own. True happiness lies in industry and achievement.

J. C. Hoeft and his granddaughter, Mrs. W. E. Peterson, were visitors at Newport Sunday. Mr. Hoeft is 86 years old and is as active and spry as some men at 50. He attributes his good health and long life to temperance, industry and a cheerful spirit. Mr. Hoeft lived at Yaquina for many years, where he kept a hotel and hundreds of people will remember his kindness and hospitality.

Arch Bishop Christie of Portland held mass at the Catholic Church Sunday and confirmed a large class of members. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and evergreens. The Bishop was a guest at the Abbey. A. G. DeLarmie, a prominent priest of Portland, accompanied the Bishop.

B. F. Russell, locomotive engineer who took the place of A. S. Casteel as engineer on the C. & E. railroad, was a visitor at Newport Sunday. Mr. Casteel has a leave of absence of two months and with his daughter, Edith, is making a tour of the Middle West and Eastern states, visiting all the principal cities and the great Niagara Falls. They will also visit Mr. Casteel's aunt who lives in Baltimore, and other relatives who live in the East. On their return trip they will stop to visit the great Panama Exposition, arriving at home about the first of November. Mr. Casteel has been an employee of the S. P. for more than thirty years.

Capt. Wm. Wakefield and wife have gone on a two weeks' vacation to Portland. The Captain is mine host of the popular Hotel Wakefield at Waldport.

Still the weather is fine but dry and the salmon are lying outside the bar ready to come in when enough rain falls to raise the river high enough to let them go up the river to the spawning grounds. The tides now are nine and ten feet high, but the sea is so calm and quiet that nearly all the bars at the mouth of the river as far as Rogue river are filling up with sand so it is difficult for such vessels as the Bandon to pass over them. Sea-faring men say this is caused by the slow action of the tides.

A reception was tendered the new Episcopal minister, Rev. E. T. Simpson, and wife at the banquet room in the Oddfellows Hall, Monday evening. Soft drinks and cake were served. A large number of members of the Church and friends were present to welcome the new minister and his wife. A general good time was had. Mr. Simpson comes highly recommended as a splendid man and an eloquent preacher. Newport has some able ministers now, and with our splendid public schools, there is no reason why the intellectual and moral standing of the community should not be the very best.

### WEST YAQUINA

John Hanlon of Beaver creek went to Newport Friday to visit Mrs. Hanlon, who is ill at that place. Mr. Hanlon returned to

### Beaver creek Tuesday.

Fred Commons came in Tuesday from Ona. He took out a load of freight on the return trip.

A. Phelps and son, Clifford, were in from Beaver creek the first of the week.

John Covert was a Yaquina visitor last Thursday.

G. B. Ryan brought in a load of cream Monday.

### SILETZ

Just a few lines to let the readers know there are a few more people living in Siletz than our other correspondent writes about.

Regarding the butcher shop being very badly needed, I think that if they would patronize the one already running in connection with the Hotel Siletz it would have been a more paying business to all concerned. It could also be run and better supplied with varieties of meats. When one side bucks the other all the time nobody makes a success. When they all pull together everybody thrives, but it can't be done in Siletz.

Walter Hall and wife left Siletz Monday, the 4th, for a few days' business trip to Salem, Sheridan, Portland and other Valley points.

Joseph Kosydar went to Portland on business Monday, returning Wednesday evening.

John Adams' hop pickers got back from the hop fields at Corvallis Saturday evening. They had four weeks' picking. The hops were very light and nobody made a fortune.

Mrs. A. C. Crawford was in Siletz on business Wednesday. She was also visiting at Mrs. Grant King's in the afternoon.

Dick Anderson, brother of Harold Anderson, came over to Siletz on business. He has been up in Washington for the past few years. While here he traded his Overland car to Warren Hall and sold the other car to our new blacksmith, Mr. Manning.

The Siletz Meat Market is undergoing a new coat of paint and paperhanging this week. Wm. Towner is doing the work for Mr. King.

Siletz turned out in a goodly number to attend Commissioners' Court today (Wednesday). Philip Elting of Upper Farm, A. C. Crawford of Lower Farm, C. Pond, Frank Lane, C. S. Davis and others. They are all interested in this district road affair, as to whether it is a good plan to divide the county into two districts.

Our public school started in full blast the 4th, with Miss Dickens and Miss Cook as teachers, the latter as principal. There are some forty odd scholars enrolled at present and there will be more.

Supt. E. L. Chalcraft went to Portland Sunday evening on the excursion train to attend Federal court. His wife and daughter, Alice, accompanied him as far as Toledo and returned the following day.

Nellie Lane, Ike Rippan and Frank Ward went to Portland as witnesses in Federal Court.

Misses Mae and Adela and Mr. Dick Adams will leave Siletz Saturday morning to go to the Chemawa Indian school for the winter. Mrs. Wm. Towner will accompany them and will visit there for a few days.

Ralph Salvage is now running the morning stage from Siletz to Toledo as Andy Goodell is laying off.

### SALADO

Things are rather dull here now days.

Geo. Hodges has three acres of corn averaging ten feet in height. He will have his silo ready to commence filling the last of the week.

We have often heard it said Lincoln county would never amount to much until all the old timers were gone, but they seem to advance about as fast as some of the new kickers.

Fred Montgomery departed for the Bay where he will fish this fall.

The mailcarrier has to walk a part of the time with his horse packed with mail. If the people who live at the so-called Rivaralde V did not boycott the office, and go eight miles past their office to get their mail, it would take three horses to carry the mail at times.

How about that fish rack? The hatchery is abandoned and part of the troughs taken to Alsea, but they still leave that death trap across the river, with two holes in it that will fill up with drift the first raise in the river, and then the fish will receive the same fate they have had for the past two years. Mr. Ramsdell has offered to take the racks out for the lumber that is in them. Why don't our good fish commissioner do something. If they are not going to hatch fish, in the name of Mike why don't they let the fish go to their spawning grounds?

### GLEN

Mrs. J. W. Davenport, Misses Edith Davenport and Lula Jacobs and Jesse Davenport spent Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore.

Miss Clara Moore spent Tuesday night with Mrs. T. L. Bohannon.

Miss Lula Jacobs of Harlan spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davenport's.

W. R. Moore and son, Alva, went to Toledo Monday to work in the sawmill.

J. E. Crooks went to Toledo Tuesday.

R. T. Moore went to Elk City Thursday.

### ONA

The Good Roads Club met Monday, all members being present and a good bit of work was done in clearing a right of way across Simpson creek.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson of Linville formerly, have sold out and will make their home in Minnesota in the future.

Mrs. G. E. Lewis and mother visited with Mrs. T. Parks Monday.

Mrs. John Covert resumed her school duties on Upper Beaver after a severe attack of the grippe.

C. Myers, with the help of Conrad Thompson, is building a road to his building site.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Selby and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weber and Mrs. Agnes Gatens were guests at the Lewis ranch Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Cook visited the Ona school Wednesday.

Joe Lissy and Ohmart Bros. are doing a great deal of clearing on the A. H. Phelps ranch.

Guy Lewis has been helping George Selby several days to remodel his house.

E. S. Oakland and daughter passed through from Yaquina Wednesday.

### CHITWOOD

James Cordell and family moved their household goods to Chitwood the first of the week.

Dr. Albert Carey of Nortons was here Saturday and held meetings at the Adventist church.

The Simpson-Creek Telephone Co. has started to repair its telephone line which has been in a bad condition.

Earnest Cook met with quite an accident Tuesday. While climbing a pole to take down a

wire the pole broke letting him fall and hurting him quite badly. He has been quite sore ever since.

Mrs. Reed and Miss Laura Cordell made a business trip to Toledo Saturday, returning Sunday.

Quite a number of the Chitwood people attended the fair at Eddyville Friday.

James Cordell made a trip to Toledo and back Saturday.

J. E. Wilson came up from Newport recently.

### LOWER FARM

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hamar and family and Miss Florence Ennis, drove down to Lower Farm Sunday, visiting at the Goin and Crawford homes.

Mr. Goodell of Siletz is running his word saw at lower Siletz this week.

Joe Kosydar and family attended confirmation at Siletz Sunday.

Mrs. S. J. Goff returned home Friday from Waldport where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baldwin.

A. C. Crawford visited Toledo Wednesday.

### CHITWOOD SCHOOL

Roll of Honor, (deportment) for month ending October 8th. Zula Smith, Laura Smith, Zeta Smith.

Those neither absent nor tardy during the month: Laura Smith, Edith Satter Ralph Smith, Emmett Smith, Sadie Calkins, Cecil Smith, Irene Smith, Grace Smith, Ed Dwinell, Elgin Reid, Marion Minogue, Zula Smith, Andrew Smith Inez Weaver.

### SUNDAY CLOSING LAW

The law generally known as the "Sunday Closing Law" is as follows:

"If any person shall keep open any store, shop, grocery, bowling alley, billiard room or tipping house, for the purpose of labor or traffic, or any place of amusement, on the first day of the week, commonly called 'Sunday' or the 'Lord's Day,' such person, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$50.

Provided, however, that the above provisions shall not apply to theaters, the keepers of drug stores, doctor shops, undertakers, livery stable keepers, butchers, and bakers; and all circumstances of necessity and mercy may be pleaded in defense, which shall be treated as questions of fact for the jury to determine when the offense is tried by a jury."

All persons engaged in business prohibited by the above law from being open and conducted on Sunday will be prosecuted for any violation of said law, in Lincoln county.

Toledo, Oregon, October 13, 1915.

Bert Geer, Sheriff.  
J. F. Stewart, District Attorney.

Garfield Edwards went to Portland this morning for a visit with his sister.

Mrs. J. G. Plank and daughter, Edna went to Portland Wednesday morning for a visit. From Portland Miss Edna will go to Shaniko, Eastern Oregon, for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Zem Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trapp of Los Angeles, California, arrived Monday evening for a few days' visit with Mr. Trapp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Trapp, in this city. Harry is now with the Wetherby-Kayser Shoe company of Los Angeles.

The pupils of Miss Ross's and Miss Galtner's rooms gave an entertainment at the Dime last evening. Several reels were shown and some very good numbers were given by the children. An admission fee of 15c was charged. The money raised will be used by the school.

### THE EDDYVILLE

#### GRANGE FAIR

The Harvest Home Fair and Festival held by the Eddyville Grange at that place last Friday, the 8th, was a most decided success in every particular. The day was fair and the attendance large. The exhibits of the products from the farm, orchard, dairy, schools and the home were par excellence. In fact we have never seen an exhibit anywhere that could compare with this exhibit. We doubt very much any county in the United States comparing with Lincoln county, Oregon, in variety of farm, orchard and garden products, and Eddyville seems to be located in one of the most productive spots. The Grange Hall was crowded and jammed with exhibits most artistically arranged, and even the people of that neighborhood were surprised at the excellent quality of the produce raised there. Exhibits were not confined entirely to Eddyville. D. B. Ramsdell and others of Elk City had large displays of fine produce, but the bulk of the exhibits was produced in the Eddyville neighborhood. One item that particularly caught the writer's eye was corn. The corn on display there would have put to shame the product of the famous Missouri corn belt. Not only were the stalks tall and thrifty, but the ears were large and well developed. We have, without question, a good corn country and our farmers are just beginning to realize the fact. Up to within the past few years it has been stated that corn would not do well in this part of the country, but that displayed at these community fairs is fast disproving this.

The exhibits were not the only attractions at the Eddyville fair. At the noon hour the upper story of the grange building was converted into a feast room. All brought lunch baskets and a real old-fashioned picnic dinner was spread. Everybody there had plenty of the very best things to eat with some to spare. It was surely some feed! After dinner came that great, glittering, glistening, glittering, glorious, gleeful, glib, gorgeous, graceful, gracious, grandiose, grotesque, gifted conglomeration known as Bingling Bros. Circus. As that fluent speller, H. O. Boynton, rightfully remarked, "there is not another aggregation like this on the face of the globe." The circus band, consisting of over a hundred talented musicians—more or less—rendered, or rended, lovely music, the official masterpiece being that luscious lullaby, "How Dry I Am." Immediately following the parade the doors were thrown open and the performance began. The wonderful aggregation of trained animals was amazing. These wild, ferocious, man-eating beasts were, as the gifted, glib speller said, captured at an enormous expense in all parts of the world—from Rose Lodge to the Willoughby ranch on Little Elk. That wonderful, fearless trainer, "Little Eva," showed remarkable skill in handling these wild beasts of the jungle. We, who had the nerve or gall to sneak in behind the scenes, had the pleasure of meeting this beautiful little dare-devil and learned her real name, but promised upon our word of honor not to divulge it, but we will give her initials. They are County Commissioner William F. Wakefield. Among the many other circus attractions was Sandow, the strongest man in the world, the two Hottentot sisters—black, shiny, greasy, lovely creatures they were. The clown kept things lively. This individual gave a sweet potatoe sole, entitled "How Dry I Am," which was well received. The orchestra played "How Dry I Am," the great overture by William Nye or some other great composer. And between each act the crowd was entertained by that old familiar melody, "How Dry I Am." Taking it all-around this circus was the funniest and best thing in that line ever pulled off in this

### county.

After the last performance of the circus the steer bucking contests took place. These furnished some exciting amusement for the crowd, and some good busting feats were shown, also some very fancy work on the part of the steers. A real Texas broncho has nothing on some of those docile, meek-appearing steers when it comes to bucking and many would-be champion buster was made to hit the dust. A potato race on horseback completed the sports. This game was exciting and exhibited considerable skill by the riders. It also seemed to be a strenuous game both for the rider and the horse.

The fair was a success from every standpoint and when the Eddyville Grange announces its fair next year they will have a crowd.

### ENGLAND BUYS MUCH LUMBER IN NORTHWEST

English orders for approximately 1,000,000 feet of spruce and fir lumber have been received by Gray's Harbor mills within the past 10 days, says an Aberdeen correspondent in the Portland Telegram.

The orders are the largest of many which have been dispatched to England within the past 90 days. Forty cars will be needed to carry the shipment to Seattle. According to advices received by lumbermen here the Minnesota will carry upwards of 2,500,000 feet of lumber when she leaves Seattle for England, to be auctioned off there to the highest bidder. The cargo will consist largely of spruce, a part of which will be used in aeroplane stock.

Lumbermen here generally admit that markets have improved considerably, and they look forward to a comparatively good winter and to a better spring. Farmers are said to be buying heavily and the new European trade is helping.

The finest line of Fruits and Vegetables in Lincoln county on sale at Yerex, Brown & Co.

Snap, Must Sell, account of leaving, Studebaker 20, model 1912, fully equipped, practically new tires, touring body with fore doors. Running order, 5 passengers. Address box 333, Toledo, Oregon.

### THANKS

Editor Leader:—I desire to thank all who helped so earnestly to make the Eddyville Fair the success that it was. The management tried its best to give satisfaction to all.

S. T. Loudon.

### ONA GOOD ROADS CLUB PASSES RESOLUTIONS

Ona, Or., Oct. 11, 1915. Thirteen members of the Ona Good Roads Club met on Monday of this week and spent the day in cutting out the right of way on our new road from Ona to the sea. At their executive session at the noon hour the following letter and resolution were adopted and ordered sent to the County Court and a copy sent to the Lincoln County Leader:

To the Honorable County Court of Lincoln County, Toledo, Oregon:

"Gentlemen:—Noting that there is some dissatisfaction in your recent formation of road districts for this county, the Ona Good Roads Club, in executive session today, unanimously adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Ona Good Roads Club endorse the action of the Lincoln County Court in its formation of Road Districts and pledge ourselves in its support in a fair trial of the new plan for the coming year."

### VINE MAPLE WOOD

Choice vine maple wood, \$1.75 per cord, in the woods, on the Lingenfelter place a mile from town. See Byron Dirick.